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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Luc WUIDART  
Serial No: 09/853,891  
Filed: May 11, 2001  
For: VALIDATION OF THE PRESENCE OF AN ELECTROMAGNETIC  
TRANSPONDER IN THE FIELD OF A READER

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Jamie Michalski  
Signature

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith in the above-identified application is

- Amendment
- Petition for Two Month Extension of Time
- Three Sheets of Annotated Drawings
- Three Sheets of Replacement Drawings
- Information Disclosure Statement,  
PTO Form 1449 and References Cited
- Return Post Card

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

|  | Claims<br>Remaining<br>After<br>Amendment |   | Highest No.<br>Previously<br>Paid<br>For |   | Present<br>Extra |   | Rate |   | Additional<br>Fee |
|--|---|---|--|---|------------------|---|------|---|-------------------|
| TOTAL<br>CLAIMS                          | 37  | - | 20                                       | = | 17               | x | \$18 | = | \$306.00          |
| INDEP.<br>CLAIMS                         | 4   | - | 3  | = | 1                | x | \$86 | = | \$ 86.00          |
| PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME |   |   |  |   |                  |   |      | = | \$420.00          |
| INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT         |   |   |  |   |                  |   |      | = | <u>\$180.00</u>   |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT  |   |   |  |   |                  |   |      | = | \$992.00          |

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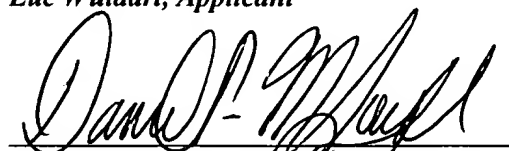
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If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 646-8000, Boston, Massachusetts.

A check in the amount of \$992.00 is enclosed to cover the additional claims fee and petition for two month extension of time. If it is determined that the fee is insufficient, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency to the account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 23/2825. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,  
*Luc Wuidart, Applicant*

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